



PATENT

Customer No. 22,852

Attorney Docket No. 5725.0993-00

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re National Stage of International)
Application No. PCT/FR00/01257 of:)
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Sandrine DECOSTER et al.) Group Art Unit: 1617
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Application No.: 10/018,769) Examiner: Gina C. Yu
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National Stage Entry: December 21, 2001) Confirmation No.: 2464
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For: COMPOSITION CONTAINING AN)
OPACIFIER OR PEARLESCENT)
AGENT AND AT LEAST TWO)
FATTY ALCOHOLS)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants hereby petition for a three-month extension of time to reply to the final Office Action of April 21, 2004. A check in the amount of \$980.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any additional extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

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Respectfully submitted,

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